



City of Scottsdale
McDowell Sonoran Preserve Commission
Regular Meeting
MARKED AGENDA

Thursday, May 2, 2013 – 5:00 p.m.
Florence Ely Nelson Desert Park
8950 E. Pinnacle Peak Road
Scottsdale, AZ 85255

As a member of the Scottsdale community, I will genuinely listen; speak respectfully; and be accountable for my words and actions.

1. **CALL TO ORDER 5:03 p.m.**
2. **ROLL CALL**

PRESENT: Jim Heitel, Fred Klein, Bob Frost, Mike Milillo, Marg Nelssen, Susan Wheeler
ABSENT: Con Englehorn

3. **PUBLIC COMMENT**

Citizens may address the members of the McDowell Sonoran Preserve Commission during Public Comment. This "Public Comment" time is reserved for citizen comments regarding non-agendized items. However, Arizona State Law prohibits the McDowell Sonoran Preserve Commission from discussing or taking action on an item that is not on the prepared agenda.

Commission Action: Information item

4. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

APPROVED: 6-0; motion by Commissioner Frost; 2nd Commissioner Nelssen

Approval of the Special meeting minutes of April 4, 2013.

Commission Actions: Discussion and possible actions

5. **MCDOWELL SONORAN CONSERVANCY UPDATE – Mike Nolan**

Commission Actions: Information Item

6. **COMMERCIAL GUIDED TOURS - MOTORIZED – Kroy Ekblaw**

Commission Actions: Information, discussion and possible direction to staff

FAILED: 3-3; motion to recommend not changing the Preserve Ordinance and maintaining the restriction against motorized vehicles as currently outlined; motion by Vice-Chair Klein; 2nd Commissioner Millilo; Commissioners Wheeler, Nelssen, and Frost dissented

FAILED: 3-3; motion to authorize staff to develop a temporary use permit for motorized vehicles; motion by Commissioner Frost; 2nd Commissioner Nelssen; Chair Heitel, Vice-Chair Klein, and Commissioner Millilo dissented

7. DDC UPDATE – Kroy Ekblaw

Commission Actions: Information, discussion and possible actions

8. FUTURE LAND ACQUISITION PRIORITIES IN THE NORTH AREA – Kroy Ekblaw

Commission Actions: Information, discussion and possible actions

9. STAFF REPORTS

- Project updates – North Area Access and Trails - Liz Hildenbrand-Crossman

Commission Action: Information and discussion only

10. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS

Commission Actions: Information and possible actions

11. AGENDA ITEMS FOR JUNE 6, 2013


Possible agenda items include:

- DDC Update
- Future Acquisition Priorities
- Commercial Guided Tours – Motorized – If needed
- Future Land Cost Benefit Study Process – Spring/Summer

12. ADJOURNMENT 6:46 p.m.

Commission Actions: Motion to adjourn

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